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AF/3624 #

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:)
YUAN, Frank S.) Group Art Unit: 3624
Serial No.: 09/511,650) Examiner: Snapp, Sandra S.
Filed: February 22, 2000)
For: AUCTION WITH METHODS AND)
MECHANISMS TO AVOID FRAUD)

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2 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$205.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$410.00
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- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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The fees for claims (37 CFR § 1.16(b)-(d)) have been calculated as shown below:

Total Claims	42	-	35	=	7	x	\$18.00	\$126.00
Independent Claims	16	-	11	=	5	x	\$78.00	\$390.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$0			(if applicable)			<input type="checkbox"/>	\$0.00
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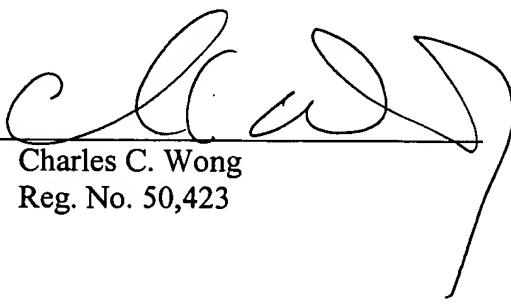
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In response to the Office Action dated November 4, 2003,
please amend the application identified above as discussed
herein.

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